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SUBJECT: SYG REPORT ON NAMIBIA

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1. UKUN INFORMS US THAT CROWE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS TO SEE SYG MAY 2 RE PESSIMISTIC CHARACTER OF SYG' S REPORT. UNDERSTAND CROWE EXPRESSED UK' S UNHAPPINESS OVER FACT THAT SYG DID NOT PRESENT NEUTRAL REPORT WITH NO CONCLUSIONS. CROWE FELT THIS WOULD HAMPER ANY ATTEMPTS TO CONTINUE SYG- SAG TALKS.

2. SYG REPORTEDLY REPLIED WITH SOME HEAT THAT SAG HAD NOT REALLY DELIVERED GOODS DURING MEETING IN GENEVA. THIS WHY HE RATHER PESSIMISTIC ABOUT CONTINUATION OF TALKS. SYG DID, HOWEVER, SAY THAT WHEN HE INFORMED GROUP OF 3 (YUGOSLAVIA, PERU AND SUDAN) OF SAG' S RESPONSE, REACTION WAS NOT ENTIRELY NEGATIVE AND THERE WAS SOME FEELING THAT THERE WERE SOME POSITIVE ELEMENTS CONTAINED IN SAG' S STATEMENT. SYG ALSO REPORTED HE HAD SPOKEN WITH SOME AF' S PRIVATELY, INCLUDING CISSE (GUINEA), WHO ALSO INDICATED THERE MIGHT BE SOME POSITIVE ELEMENTS IN SAG' S STATEMENT AND WHO THOUGHT IT CONFIDENTIAL

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NECESSARY FIND SOME FORMULA IN ORDER CONTINUE TALKS. HE SAID THAT HE WOULD BE TAKING PRIVATE LINE, THAT THERE WERE POSITIVE ELEMENTS AND HOPED THIS WOULD DISSUADE AF' S FROM ABORTING TALKS.

3. ACCORDING TO UKUN, SYG ALSO SAID THAT FONMIN MULLER WAS
IN A DIFFICULT MANDATE.

ALGARD HIMSELF RETURNING OSLO MAY 4 FOR SYG VISIT AND WILL
URGE GON RAISE THIS MATTER FORCEFULLY WITH SYG. ALGARD,
WHO INVITED TO OAU SUMMIT, WILL LOBBY IN SAME SENSE IN
ADDIS. DANISH PERMREP BORCH, WHO RETURNING COPENHAGEN FOR
SYG VISIT, TOLD SCHAUFEL HE WILL ALSO URGE HIS GOVERNMENT
TO TAKE SIMILAR ACTION.

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